Mountain Weather Forecast

Northwest Highlands

Including Sutherland, Ben Wyvis, Wester Ross, The Cuillin, Glen Affric, Glen Shiel and Knoydart
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Wednesday 01 Sep 2021 until 23:59 on Thursday 02 Sep 2021

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 31 Aug 2021 at 15:23 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: Low confidence for extent of any cloud breaks over the next few days, but high confidence for dry and settled weather for the rest of the week.

Headline for Wednesday 01 Sep 2021: Dry with variable amounts of cloud.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 01 Sep 2021

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
10%	10%	10%	10%	00%	00%	00%	00%

Forecast for Wednesday 01 Sep 2021

Weather: Chance of a little light rain at first in the north and east, otherwise dry across all ranges throughout the day. There will some cloud around although amounts uncertain. Some sunnier breaks too, the best of the sunshine most likely across the southwest of the area.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 60%

Visibility: Generally very good with good air clarity outside of cloud. Some low cloud around 700 metres, this most prevalent across the north and east of the area, and it is possible that the tops may stand clear of the cloud above the inversion.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	8/10 E	6/8 E	4/6 NE	4/7 NE	4/8 NE	6/10 NE	6/9 NE	5/8 E	6/9 SE
900	7/10 E	6/8 E	4/6 NE	4/7 NE	4/8 NE	6/10 NE	6/10 NE	5/9 E	5/8 SE
600	6/8 E	4/6 E	3/5 NE	4/7 NE	5/9 NE	6/10 NE	5/9 NE	3/7 E	3/6 SE
300	4/8 E	4/7 E	3/6 NE	3/6 E	2/5 E	4/7 N	4/7 E	4/8 E	3/6 E
Glen	7/9 NE	5/7 NE	3/5 NE	3/6 NW	4/8 NW	4/8 W	5/8 NW	3/5 NE	2/4 N

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	7/5	7/5	7/6	8/7	10/9	11/10	12/11	10/9	9/8
900	8/6	8/6	7/6	8/7	10/10	11/10	12/11	10/10	9/8
600	10/9	9/8	9/8	10/9	12/12	13/12	13/13	11/11	10/10
300	10/10	10/9	9/8	12/12	16/16	17/17	16/16	12/12	10/10
Glen	13/12	12/12	11/11	14/14	17/16	19/19	17/17	14/14	12/12
Freezing Level*	2700m	2700m	2700m	2600m	2600m	2600m	2600m	2600m	2600m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Feeling rather cold at height under any cloud cover.

Forecast for Thursday 02 Sep 2021
Weather: Remaining dry with variable amounts of cloud, again amounts will be uncertain.

Maximum wind: Easterly 10 mph

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 60%

Visibility: Generally very good with good air clarity. Some patchy cloud between 500 and 700 metres although the tops may stand clear above the cloud.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 11 rising to 17 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 12 Celsius
Freezing level: Above summits

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